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TAX FROM ONLINE SERVICE PROVIDERS
Kodikunnil Shri Suresh

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) The amount of income generated by Government by way of service tax from the online service providers for each of the last three years;

(b) Whether the Government has noticed the cases of tax violations by online service providing companies during the same period;

(c) If so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government against such tax violations; and

(d) The measures taken or proposed to be taken by the Government to protect the customers from online service providers?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE : (SHRI JAYANT SINHA)

(a) Data on service tax payment is not maintained on the basis of whether the service is provided online or otherwise.

(b) to (d) Does not arise in view of the reply to part (a) above.